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EEEH-- GIDDY UP, DOC!
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DIRECT SALES
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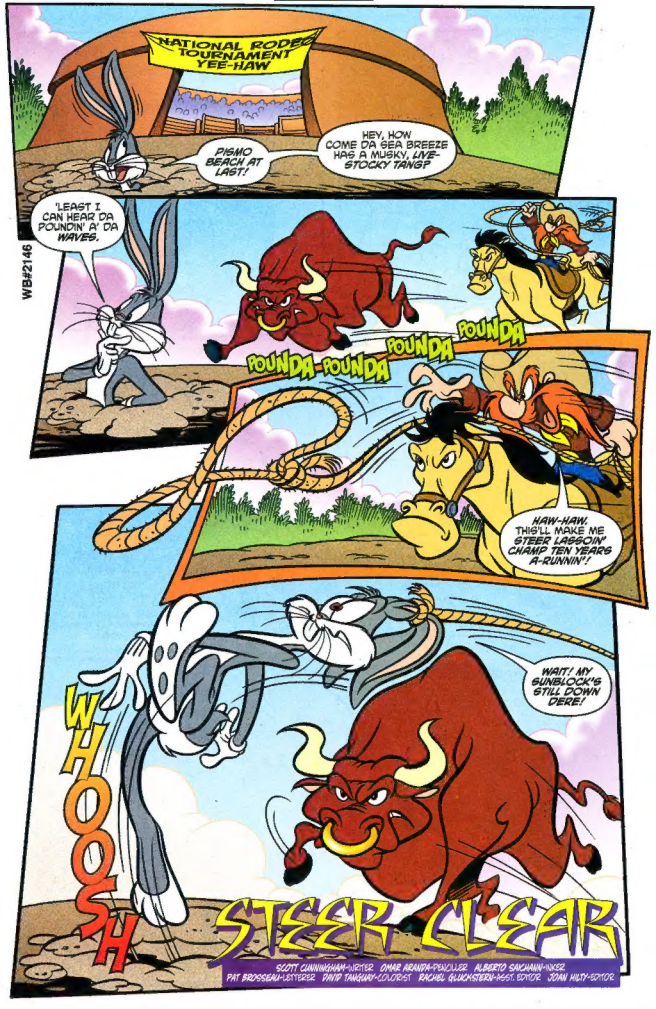
NATIONAL RODEO TOURNAMENT YEE-HAW
PISMO BEACH AT LAST!
HEY, HOW COME DA SEA BREEZE HAS A MUSKY, LIVE-STOCKY TANG?
'LEAST I CAN HEAR DA POUNDIN' A' DA WAVES.
POUNDA-POUNDA
POUNDA
POUNDA
HAW-HAW, THIS'LL MAKE ME STEER LASSOIN' CHAMP TEN YEARS A-RUNNIN'!
WAIT! MY GUNBLOCK'S STILL DOWN DERE!
WHOOSH
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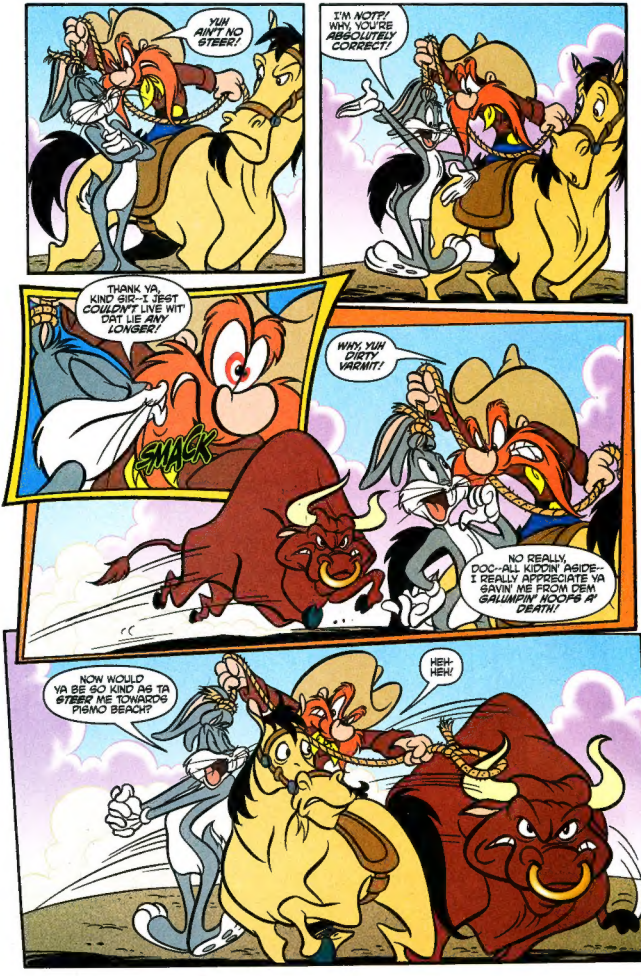
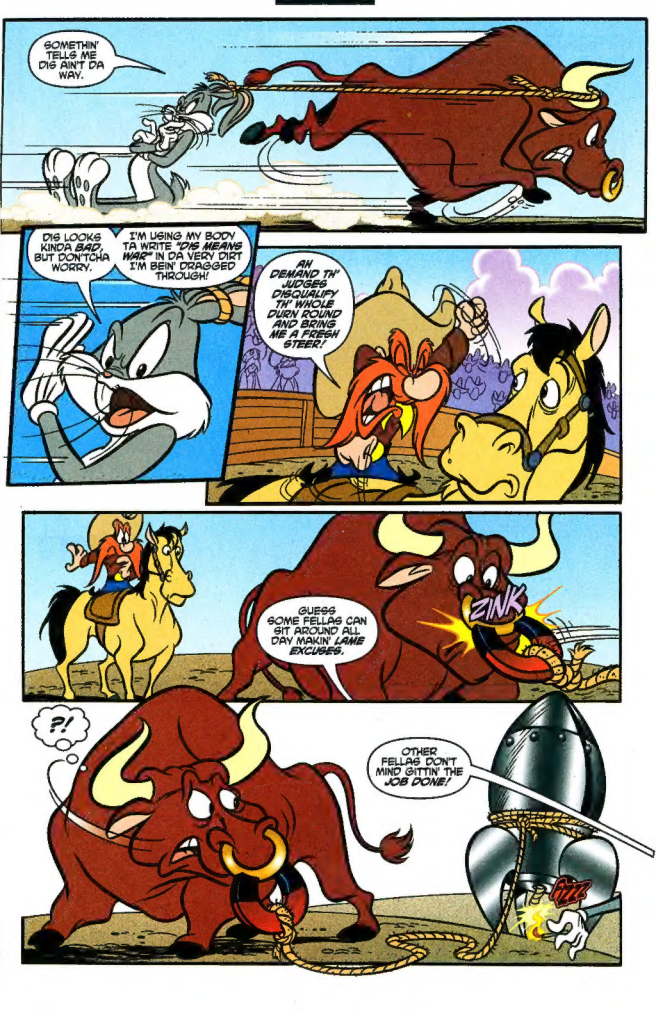
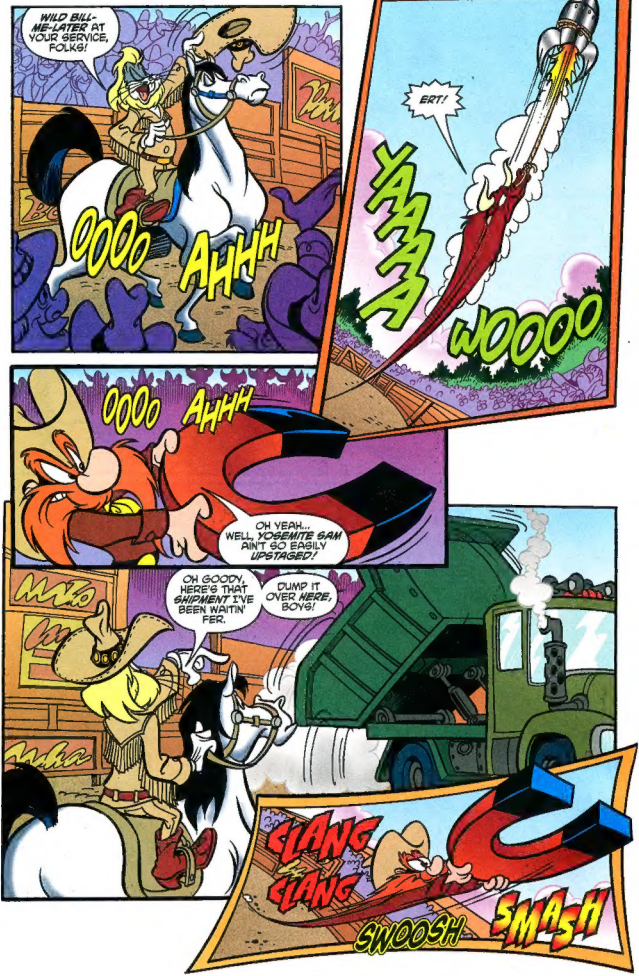
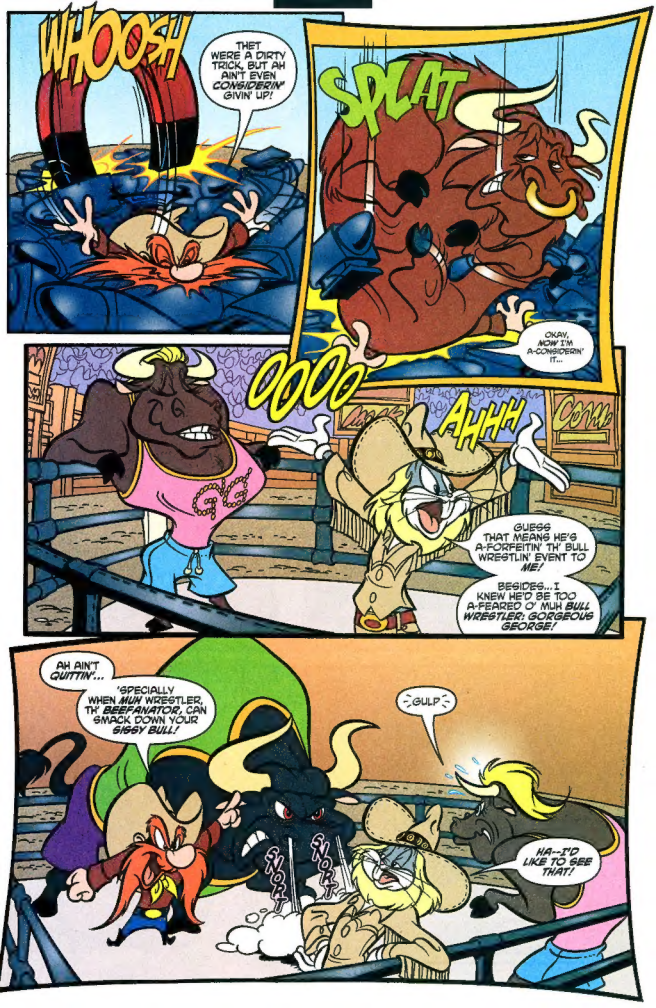
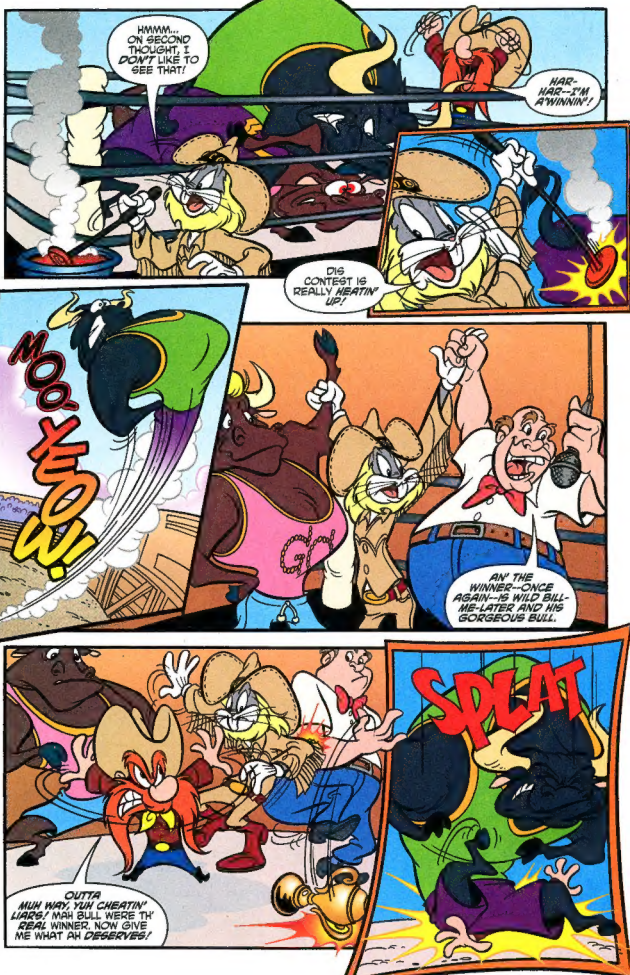
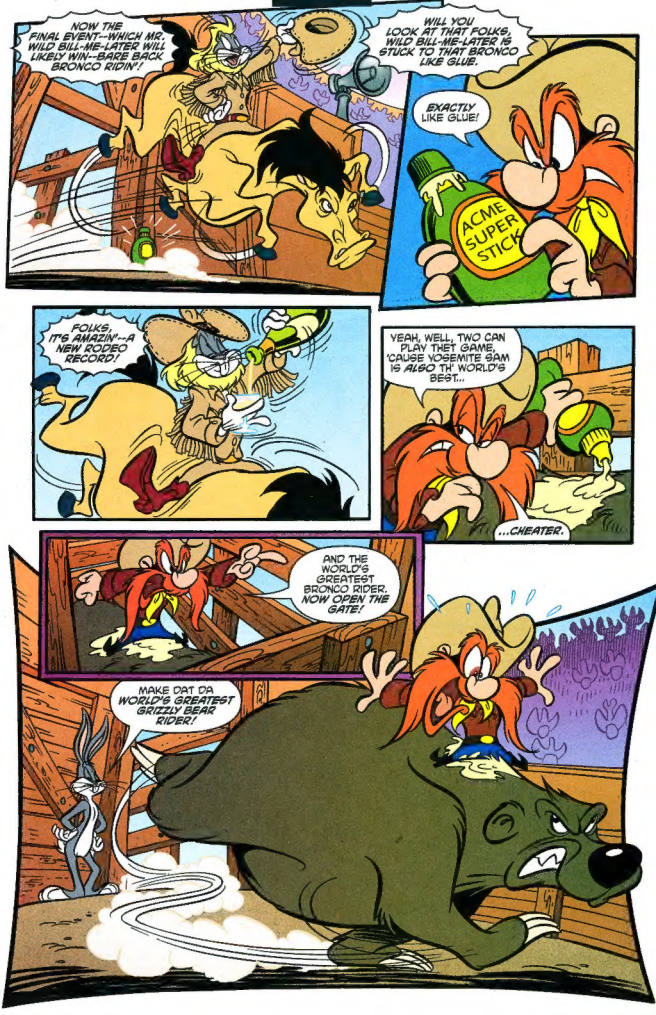

YUH AIN'T NO STEER!
I'M NOT?! WHY, YOU'RE ABSOLUTELY CORRECT!
THANK YA, KIND SIR--I JEST COULDN'T LIVE WIT' DAT LIE ANY LONGER!
SMACK
WHY, YUH DIRTY VARMIT!
NO REALLY, DOC--ALL KIDDIN' ASIDE-- I REALLY APPRECIATE YA SAVIN' ME FROM DEM GALUMPIN' HOOFS A' DEATH!
NOW WOULD YA BE SO KIND AS TA STEER ME TOWARDS PISMO BEACH?
HEH-HEH!

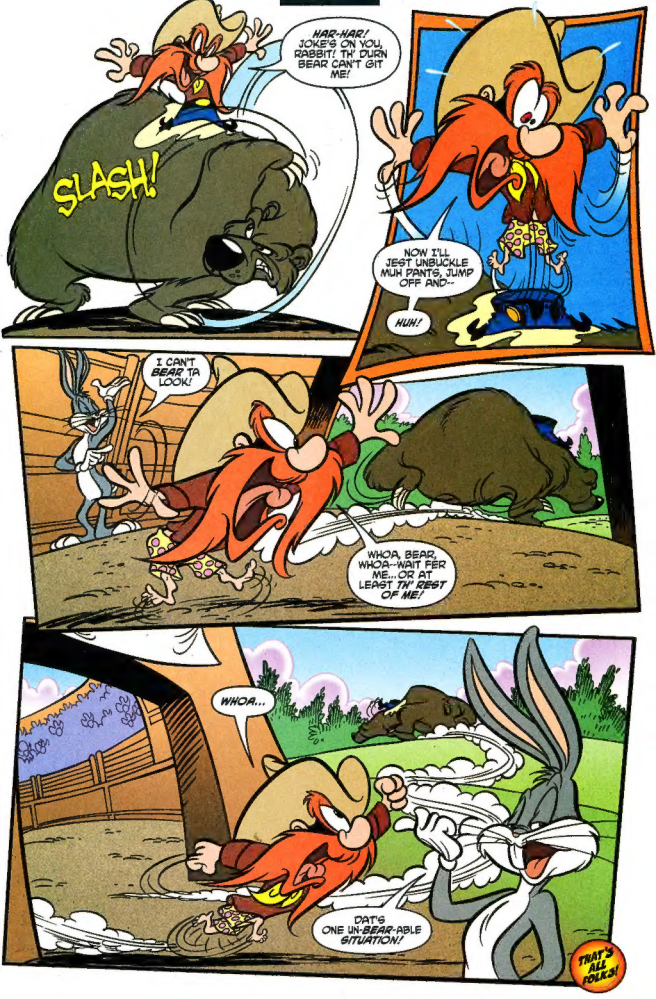

SOMETHIN' TELLS ME DIS AIN'T DA WAY.
DIS LOOKS KINDA BAD, BUT DON'TCHA WORRY.
I'M USING MY BODY TA WRITE "DIS MEANS WAR" IN DA VERY DIRT I'M BEIN' DRAGGED THROUGH!
AH DEMAND TH' JUDGES DISQUALIFY TH' WHOLE DURN ROUND AND BRING ME A FRESH STEER!
GUESS SOME FELLAS CAN SIT AROUND ALL D'AY MAKIN' LAME EXCUSES.
ZINK
?!
OTHER FELLAS DON'T MIND GITTIN' THE JOB DONE!
OUCH


WILD BILL-ME-LATER AT YOUR SERVICE, FOLKS!
OOOO
AHHH
ERT!
YAAAA
WOOOO
OOOO
AHHH
OH YEAH... WELL, YOSEMITE SAM AIN'T SO EASILY UPSTAGED!
OH GOODY, HERE'S THAT SHIPMENT I'VE BEEN WAITIN' FER.
DUMP IT OVER HERE, BOYS!
CLANG
CLANG
SWOOSH
SMASH


WHOOSH
THET WERE A DIRTY TRICK, BUT AH AIN'T EVEN CONSIDERIN' GIVIN' UP!
SPLAT
OKAY, NOW I'M A-CONSIDERIN' IT...
OOOO
AHHH
GUESS THAT MEANS HE'S A-FORFEITIN' TH' BULL WRESTLIN' EVENT TO ME!
BESIDES... I KNEW HE'D BE TOO A-FEARED O' MUH BULL WRESTLER, GORGEOUS GEORGE!
AH AIN'T QUITTIN'...
'SPECIALLY WHEN MUH WRESTLER, TH' BEEFANATOR, CAN SMACK DOWN YOUR SISSY BULL!
-GULP-
SLURP
SLURP
HA--I'D LIKE TO SEE THAT!


HMMM... ON SECOND THOUGHT, I DON'T LIKE TO SEE THAT!
HAR-HAR--I'M A'WINNIN'!
DIS CONTEST IS REALLY HEATIN' UP!
MOO
YEOW!
AN' THE WINNER--ONCE AGAIN--IS WILD BILL-ME-LATER AND HIS GORGEOUS BULL.
SPLAT
OUTTA MUH WAY, YUH CHEATIN' LIARS! NAH BULL WERE TH' REAL WINNER. NOW GIVE ME WHAT AH DESSERVES!


NOW THE FINAL EVENT--WHICH MR. WILD BILL-ME-LATER WILL LIKELY WIN--BARE BACK BRONCO RIDIN'!
WILL YOU LOOK AT THAT FOLKS, WILD BILL-ME-LATER IS STUCK TO THAT BRONCO LIKE GLUE.
EXACTLY LIKE GLUE!
ACME SUPER STICK
FOLKS, IT'S AMAZIN'--A NEW RODEO RECORD!
YEAH, WELL, TWO CAN PLAY THET GAME, 'CAUSE YOSEMITE SAM IS ALSO TH' WORLD'S BEST...
...CHEATER.
AND THE WORLD'S GREATEST BRONCO RIDER, NOW OPEN THE GATE!
MAKE DAT DA WORLD'S GREATEST GRIZZLY BEAR RIDER!


SLASH!
HAR-HAR! JOKE'S ON YOU, RABBIT! TH' DUSN BEAR CAN'T GIT ME!
NOW I'LL JEST UNBUCKLE MUH PANTS, JUMP OFF AND--
HUH!
I CAN'T BEAR TA LOOK!
WHOA, BEAR, WHOA--WAIT FER ME... OR AT LEAST TH' REST OF ME!
WHOA...
DAT'S ONE UN-BEAR-ABLE SITUATION!
THAT'S ALL FOLKS!

LET THE
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OH LOOK, FATHER! THERE'S A QUIZ IN THIS MAGAZINE--THE "HAVE YOUR PARENTS STIFLED YOUR CREATIVITY?" TEST! LET'S TAKE IT!
CAT!
ZZZ

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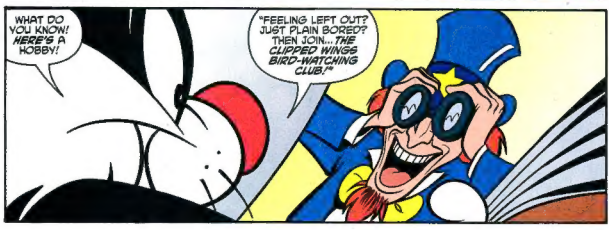
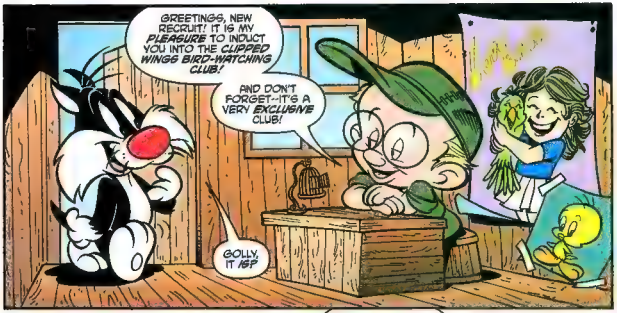
FIRST QUESTION--DOES YOUR PARENT ENCOURAGE YOU TO ASK QUESTIONS?
CAT!
GROAN!
SECOND QUESTION--DOES YOUR PARENT SHOWER YOU WITH ATTENTION...OR GIVE YOU THE BRUSH-OFFF
MOAN!

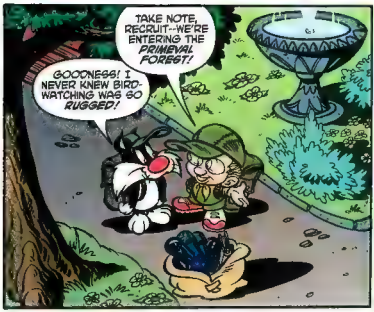
LISTEN, JUNIOR--I DON'T HAVE TIME FOR THIGTH NOW. I GOTTA GET US THOME GRUB.
IN THE MEANTIME, THON, USE YOUR TIME WISELY--GET YOURTHELF A HOBBY!


WHAT DO YOU KNOW! HERE'S A HOBBY!
"FEELING LEFT OUT? JUST PLAIN BORED? THEN JOIN... THE CLIPPED WINGS BIRD-WATCHING CLUB!"


GREETINGS, NEW RECRUIT! IT IS MY *PLEASURE* TO INDUCT YOU INTO THE *CLIPPED WINGS BIRD-WATCHING CLUB!*
AND DON'T FORGET--IT'S A VERY *EXCLUSIVE* CLUB!
GOLLY, IT *IS!*

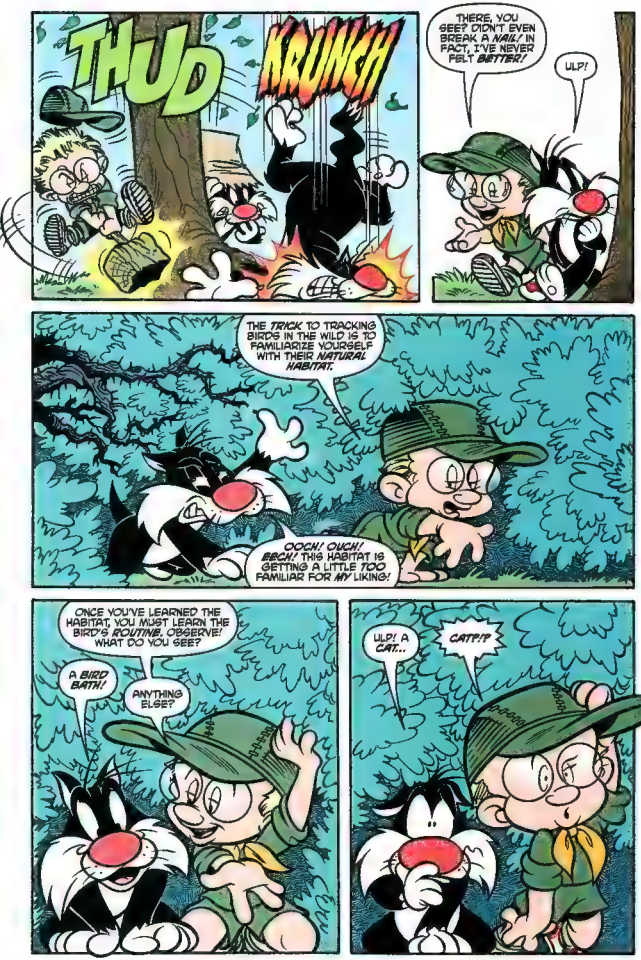
OF COURSE! IT EXCLUSIVELY SELLS ONLY *OFFICIAL CLUB MERCHANDISE!* BELIEVE ME, YOU *CAN'T* WATCH BIRDS WITHOUT THIS STUFF!
WELL, YOU'RE THE *EXPERT!* UM...WILL YOU TAKE FATHER'S *CREDIT CARD--?*

SO HOW LONG UNTIL I BECOME A PROFESSIONAL *BIRD WATCHER?*
OH, AFTER ABOUT THIRTY-SEVEN *MONTHLY PAYMENTS.* MEANWHILE, WE CAN START YOUR *TRAINING!*


TAKE NOTE, RECRUIT--WE'RE ENTERING THE *PRIMEVAL FOREST!*
GOODNESS! I NEVER KNEW BIRD-WATCHING WAS SO *RUGGED!*

JUST TAKE IT *ONE STEP* AT A TIME. FIRST ORDER OF BUSINESS--FIND A *BIRD!*
I'M LOOKING! I'M LOOKING!

EUREKA! TARGET SIGHTED! WHAT A BEAUTIFUL BIRD...!
SAYYY... WHAT'S THAT MANGY OLD CAT DOING UP THERE?
GULP! NEVER SEEN HIM BEFORE IN MY LIFE!
AS DEDICATED BIRD WATCHERS, IT IS OUR SWORN DUTY TO SERVE AND PROTECT!
OH, DEAR. PLEASE BE CAREFUL WITH THAT--SOMEONE MIGHT GET HURT!
DON'T YOU WORRY!
AHH, PIPE DOWN! YOU THHOULD BE HAPPY I'M ON A DIET!
THWANG
AND I'M CUTTIN' CALORIES EVEN AS I THPEAK!


THUD
KRUNCH
THERE, YOU SEE? DIDN'T EVEN BREAK A NAIL! IN FACT, I'VE NEVER FELT BETTER!
ULP!
THE TRICK TO TRACKING BIRDS IN THE WILD IS TO FAMILIARIZE YOURSELF WITH THEIR NATURAL HABITAT.
OOCH! OUCH! EECH! THIS HABITAT IS GETTING A LITTLE TOO FAMILIAR FOR MY LIKING!
ONCE YOU'VE LEARNED THE HABITAT, YOU MUST LEARN THE BIRD'S ROUTINE. OBSERVE! WHAT DO YOU SEE?
A BIRD BATH!
ANYTHING ELSE?
ULP! A CAT...
CAT?!?

CATS HUNTING BIRDS--IT'S A CRIME AGAINST NATURE!!!
ERRR...HE COULD BE A BEAR. EITHER WAY, HE'S ABSOLUTELY NO RELATION OF MINE!...
GEE...ISN'T IT ALL JUST PART OF THE FOOD CHAIN?
NO! WHAT IS THE BIRD WATCHER'S SWORN DUTY?
SIGH...TO SERVE AND PROTECT!
AND THUS, BEING THE COAST IS CLEAR, THE WILY PREDATOR MAKES HIS WAY ACROSS THE CLEARING--
--WHERE HIS UNTHOUGHTSPECTING PREY WAITS, ABOUT TO BECOME A BIRDY BREAKFAST--!
HEY, WHAT GIVES? WHERE'D ALL THE BIRDS GO? HOW DO THEY EXPECT ME TO EAT ON AN EMPTY STOMACH?

ALL I NEED IS THE RIGHT BAIT, AND DINNER WILL BEAT A PATH TO MY--
--MY... MY... OH, MY--!
GRONK
CHOMP CHOMP CHOMP CHOMP CHOMP
PARDON ME--DOES THIS BELONG TO YOU?
THANKS FOR BRINGING IT BACK-- NOW I WON'T HAVE TO FORFEIT MY DEPOSIT!
OOOH...
OUR FEATHERED FRIENDS ARE NATURE'S GIFT AND SHOULD BE RESPECTED!
SEE THOSE LITTLE OLD LADIES FEEDING THE PIGEONS? THEY'VE GOT THE RIGHT IDEA!

YEP--I GOT THE RIGHT IDEA ALL RIGHT...I ONLY WISH I'D THOUGHT OF IT THSOONER!
TRUST ME--THAT'S NOT THE ONLY THING YOU'RE GOING TO GET!
EH-HEH! FANCY MEETING YOU HERE! CARE TO CHEW THE FAT AWHILE? OR SPLIT A DRUM-STICK...?
CLONK-K-K!
I'D THSTART A CAT PROTECTION LEAGUE IF I WASN'T SO HUNGRY!
ZOO
LOOK AT THAT BIG NEST! NOW THERE'S TH A FUNNY PLACE TO PUT A BUFFET!
LET'STH HOPE THEY'RE STILL SERVING BREAKFAST!

I'LL JUST THSCRAMBLE ME SOME EGGS RIGHT HERE!...
STOP, THIEF!
JUNIOR!!! YOU'RE WITH HIM? THSON, I TOLD YOU TO GET A REAL HOBBY!
BUT, FATHER, THERE'S NOTHING MORE PEACEFUL AND REWARDING AS--
SKREEE
--BIRD-WATCHING...?
KAW! RRRIP SHRED! RRRIP KAW!
NOTHING LIKE A NEW HOBBY TO CHEER YOU UP!
YES! AND THE NICE THING ABOUT THIS ONE IS IT'S A LOT SAFER THAN BIRD-WATCHING!
OH, I WOULDN'T SAY THAT...!
BOOM
SKREECH
KRASH
THAT'S ALL FOLKS!

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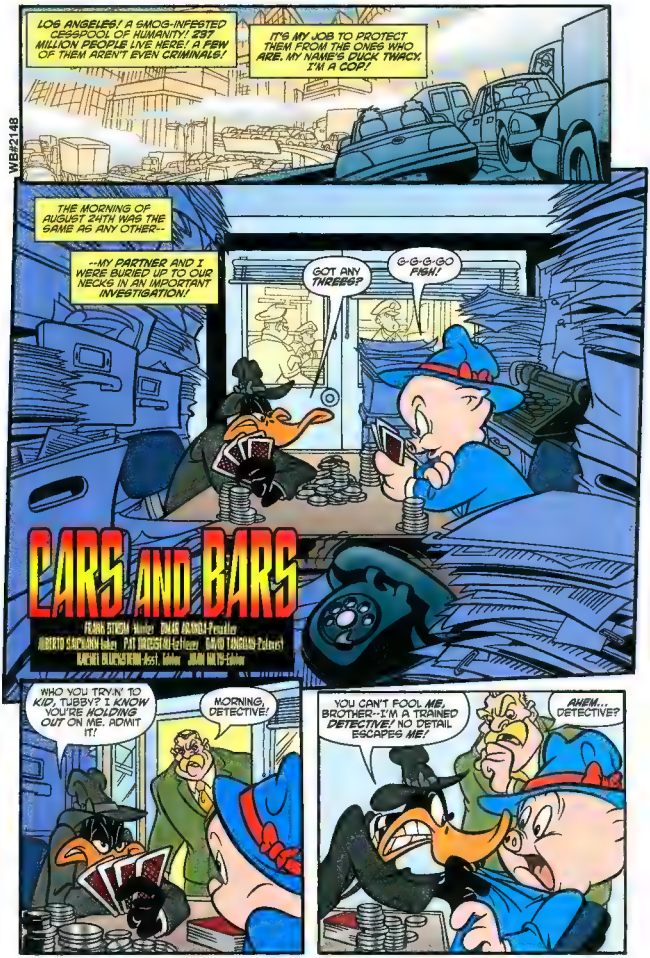
LOS ANGELES! A SMOG-INFESTED CESSPOOL OF HUMANITY! 237 MILLION PEOPLE LIVE HERE! A FEW OF THEM AREN'T EVEN CRIMINALS!
IT'S MY JOB TO PROTECT THEM FROM THE ONES WHO ARE. MY NAME'S DUCK TWACY. I'M A COP!
THE MORNING OF AUGUST 24TH WAS THE SAME AS ANY OTHER--
--MY PARTNER AND I WERE BURIED UP TO OUR NECKS IN AN IMPORTANT INVESTIGATION!
GOT ANY THREES?
G-G-G-GO FISH!
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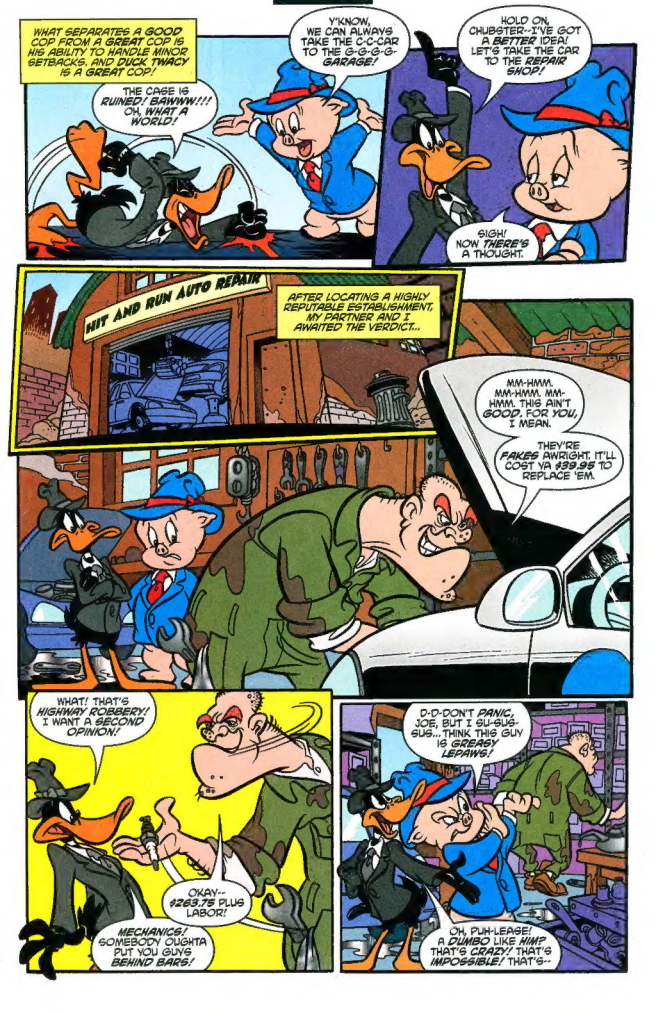
WHO YOU TRYIN' TO KID, TUBBY? I KNOW YOU'RE HOLDING OUT ON ME. ADMIT IT!
MORNING, DETECTIVE!
YOU CAN'T FOOL ME, BROTHER--I'M A TRAINED DETECTIVE! NO DETAIL ESCAPES ME!
AHEM... DETECTIVE?

DETECTIVE!
IT WAS THE CHIEF. LIKE I SAID, NO DETAIL ESCAPES DUCK THACY.
THE CITY'S UNDER SIEGE BY A CRIME WAVE THAT COULD THREATEN OUR VERY WAY OF LIFE...
COUNTERFEIT SPARK PLUGS ARE POPPING UP EVERYWHERE, THACY!
FAKE SPARK PLUGS, EH? ONLY A SOULLESS FIEND COULD PERPETRATE SUCH AN ABOMINABLE CRIME!
I'LL CHECK THE "SOULLESS FIENDS" FILES FOR SUSPECTS!
Y'KNOW, JOE, I'VE G-G-GOT A HUNCH OUR P-P-PERPET... SUSPECT IS GREASY LEPAWS.
DON'T BE RIDICULOUS! HUNCHES NEVER PAY OFF!
B-B-BUT GREASY LEPAWS HAS A HISTORY OF AUTO PARTS THEFT!...
I TOLD YOU, HUNCHES NEVER PAY OFF!
AHA! HERE'S THE GUY WE WANT!
WHO IS IT?
GREASY LEPAWS!

GREASY LEPAWS WANTED FOR
Counterfeit tire irons
counterfeit tires
counterfeit car alarms
counterfeit seatbelts
MY RAZOR-SHARP INSTINCTS TELL ME LEPAWS IS OUR COUNTERFEITER!
I'LL P-P-PUT OUT AN ALL-POINTS BULLETIN...
BULLETIN SCHMULLETIN! WE'LL NAB THE CROOK OURSELVES!
POLICE
POLICE
OKAY, WHAT'S WRONG WITH THE STUPID CAR?
RRR-RRR-RRR-RRR-
SPLUT!
POLICE
I'LL CHECK...
DON'T BOTHER, PAL. I'M AN EXPERT WHEN IT COMES TO CARS. I KNOW EXACTLY WHAT TO DO!
POLICE
START!! START IN THE NAME OF THE LAW!
KICK
KICK
KICK
POLICE
BAD NEWS, DETECTIVE. THE SPARK PLUGS ARE FA-FA-FA... COUNTERFEIT!


WHAT SEPARATES A GOOD COP FROM A GREAT COP IS HIS ABILITY TO HANDLE MINOR SETBACKS. AND DUCK TWACY IS A GREAT COP!
Y'KNOW, WE CAN ALWAYS TAKE THE C-C-CAR TO THE G-G-G-G-GARAGE!
HOLD ON, CHUBSTER--I'VE GOT A BETTER IDEA! LET'S TAKE THE CAR TO THE REPAIR SHOP!
THE CASE IS RUINED! BAWWW!!! OH, WHAT A WORLD!
SIGH! NON THERE'S A THOUGHT.
HIT AND RUN AUTO REPAIR
AFTER LOCATING A HIGHLY REPUTABLE ESTABLISHMENT, MY PARTNER AND I AWAITED THE VERDICT...
MM-HMM. MM-HMM. MM-HMM. THIS AIN'T GOOD. FOR YOU, I MEAN.
THEY'RE FAKES AWRIGHT. IT'LL COST YA $39.95 TO REPLACE 'EM.
WHAT! THAT'S HIGHWAY ROBBERY! I WANT A SECOND OPINION!
OKAY-- $263.75 PLUS LABOR!
MECHANICS! SOMEBODY OUGHTA PUT YOU GUYS BEHIND BARS!
D-D-DON'T PANIC, JOE, BUT I GU-GUS-GUS... THINK THIS GUY IS GREASY LEFAWKS.
OH, PUH-LEASE! A DUMBO LIKE HIM? THAT'S CRAZY! THAT'S IMPOSSIBLE! THAT'S--

LEP
--AN AMAZING COINCIDENCE. I SUPPOSE THERE'S A FIRST TIME FOR EVERYTHING!
OKAY, LEPAW--THE JIG'S UP! YOU'RE HEREBY UNDER ARREST!
YA MIGHT WANNA RECONSIDER, COPPER. THINGS COULD GET UGLY, FOR YOU, I MEAN.
HO-HO! YOU'RE IN NO POSITION TO MAKE THREATS! IN CASE YOU DIDN'T REALIZE, I'VE GOT THE ADVANTAGE HERE!
YOU'D BETTER EXPLAIN IT BETTER TO HIM, TWACY--I D-D-DON'T THINK HE UNDERSTANDS!
AH, HE'LL NEVER GO THROUGH WITH THIS! IT'S DOWNRIGHT CRIMINAL!
KLIK
AH! I'M A DOWNRIGHT CROOK! HEH-HEH! SEE YA LATER, SUCKERS!
ZOUNDS! WHO COULD HAVE PREDICTED HE'D BE WILLING TO BREAK THE LAW?
WE'VE HAD IT! WE'RE D-D-D-D... WE'RE TOAST!
CALM DOWN! I'LL THINK OF AN ESCAPE PLAN, I ALWAYS DO!
KRUNCH!

WELL, EVERYONE'S ENTITLED TO A BAD DAY ONCE IN AWHILE--!
AH-HAHAHAHA! DAT OUGHTA SLOW 'EM DOWN LONG ENOUGH FOR ME TO MAKE A SPEEDY GETAWAY!
HEY! WHAT TH--?!?
SPLIT!
COME ALONG QUIETLY, LEPAWS.
LOOKS LIKE A CLEAR CASE OF COUNTERFEIT SPARK PLUGS, WOULDN'T YOU SAY?
THAT'S RIGHT--DUCK TWACY HAD THE FORESIGHT TO DO A FEW REPAIRS ON YOUR CAR, BUSTER!
LET THAT BE A LESSON TO YOU, NOBODY-- AND I DO MEAN NOBODY-- ESCAPES THE LAW!
POLICE REPORT--ON THE MORNING OF AUGUST 25TH, DETECTIVE DUCK TWACY WAS BROUGHT UP ON CHARGES OF AUTO REPAIR WITHOUT A LICENSE.
LIKE I SAID, NOBODY ESCAPES THE LAW. SHEESH!
THAT'S ALL FOLKS!

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